June 3, 2003

Ms. Mia Settle-Vinson Assistant City Attorney City of Houston P.O. Box 1562 Houston, Texas 77251-1562

OR2003-3733

Re: Request for incident report # 115641600 O.

Dear Ms. Settle-Vinson:

The Office of the Attorney General has received your request for a ruling and assigned your request ID# 184426.

After reviewing your arguments and the submitted information, we have determined that your request does not present a novel or complex issue. Thus, we are addressing your claims in a memorandum opinion. You claim that the requested information may be withheld from the requestor. We have considered your arguments and the submitted information and have determined that in accordance with section 261.201 of the Family Code, you must withhold the requested information. We note that if the investigation has been referred to the Department of Protective and Regulatory Services ("DPRS"), parent may be entitled to access to DPRS's records, but not to the police department's records. Family Code § 261.201 (g).

For more information on the cited exception, as well as information on the rights and obligations of governmental bodies and requestors, please refer to open government information contained on the Office of the Attorney General website at <a href="https://www.oag.state.tx.us">www.oag.state.tx.us</a>. You may also contact our Open Government Hotline at 1-877-OPENTEX.

Enc. Submitted documents

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